



100

S&H Form: (2/01)
DOCKET NO. 1793.1005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:

Kun-Soo KIM et al.

Serial No: 10/733,254

Group Art Unit: 2655

Confirmation No. 8678

Filed: December 12, 2003

Examiner: Unassigned

For: COMPATIBLE OPTICAL PICKUP APPARATUS

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is requested that the spelling of the second Applicant's name on the Official Filing Receipt be corrected. The correct spelling of the second Applicant's name is "**Eun-goo Kim**", as is evidenced by the executed Declaration, attached to the application as filed. For the convenience of the Patent and Trademark Office, attached is a photocopy of the original receipt on which the errors have been noted in red.

It is requested that a corrected Official Filing Receipt be issued in this application.

Respectfully submitted,

STAAS & HALSEY LLP

By: 
Michael D. Stein
Registration No. 37,240

Date: 10/1/04

1201 New York Ave, N.W., Suite 700
Washington, D.C. 20005
Telephone: (202) 434-1500
Facsimile: (202) 434-1501

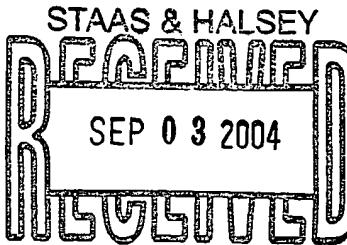


UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

APPL NO.	FILING OR 371 (c) DATE	ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY.DOCKET NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLMS	IND CLMS
10/733,254	12/12/2003	2655	806	1793.1005	4	22	3

21171
STAAS & HALSEY LLP
SUITE 700
1201 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, DC 20005



CONFIRMATION NO. 8678

FILING RECEIPT

Date Mailed: 09/01/2004

Receipt is acknowledged of this regular Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Filing Receipt Corrections, facsimile number 703-746-9195. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Kun-soo Kim, Seoul, KOREA, REPUBLIC OF;
[Euu-goo Kim,] Suwon-si, KOREA, REPUBLIC OF; - - *Eun-goo Kim*,
Sun-mook Park, Suwon-si, KOREA, REPUBLIC OF;

Assignment For Published Patent Application

SAMSUNG Electronics Co., Ltd., Suwon City, KOREA, REPUBLIC OF

Power of Attorney: The patent practitioners associated with Customer Number 21171.

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

Foreign Applications

REPUBLIC OF KOREA 03-2968 01/16/2003

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted: 09/01/2004

The number of your priority application, to be used for filing abroad under the Paris Convention is,
US10/733,254

Projected Publication Date: 12/09/2004

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No



Title

Compatible optical pickup apparatus

Preliminary Class

369

**LICENSE FOR FOREIGN FILING UNDER
Title 35, United States Code, Section 184
Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 5.11 & 5.15**

GRANTED

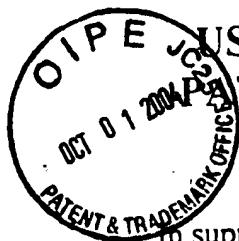
The applicant has been granted a license under 35 U.S.C. 184, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" followed by a date appears on this form. Such licenses are issued in all applications where the conditions for issuance of a license have been met, regardless of whether or not a license may be required as set forth in 37 CFR 5.15. The scope and limitations of this license are set forth in 37 CFR 5.15(a) unless an earlier license has been issued under 37 CFR 5.15(b). The license is subject to revocation upon written notification. The date indicated is the effective date of the license, unless an earlier license of similar scope has been granted under 37 CFR 5.13 or 5.14.

This license is to be retained by the licensee and may be used at any time on or after the effective date thereof unless it is revoked. This license is automatically transferred to any related applications(s) filed under 37 CFR 1.53(d). This license is not retroactive.

The grant of a license does not in any way lessen the responsibility of a licensee for the security of the subject matter as imposed by any Government contract or the provisions of existing laws relating to espionage and the national security or the export of technical data. Licensees should apprise themselves of current regulations especially with respect to certain countries, of other agencies, particularly the Office of Defense Trade Controls, Department of State (with respect to Arms, Munitions and Implements of War (22 CFR 121-128)); the Office of Export Administration, Department of Commerce (15 CFR 370.10 (j)); the Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of Treasury (31 CFR Parts 500+) and the Department of Energy.

NOT GRANTED

No license under 35 U.S.C. 184 has been granted at this time, if the phrase "IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED" DOES NOT appear on this form. Applicant may still petition for a license under 37 CFR 5.12, if a license is desired before the expiration of 6 months from the filing date of the application. If 6 months has lapsed from the filing date of this application and the licensee has not received any indication of a secrecy order under 35 U.S.C. 181, the licensee may foreign file the application pursuant to 37 CFR 5.15(b).



USPTO TO PROVIDE ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO CITED U.S. PATENT REFERENCES WITH OFFICE ACTIONS AND CEASE SUPPLYING PAPER COPIES

In support of its 21st Century Strategic Plan goal of increased patent e-Government, beginning in June 2004, the United States Patent and Trademark Office (Office or USPTO) will begin the phase-in of its E-Patent Reference program and hence will: (1) provide downloading capability of the U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications cited in Office actions via the E-Patent Reference feature of the Office's Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) system; and (2) cease mailing paper copies of U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications with Office actions (in applications and during reexamination proceedings) except for citations made during the international stage of an international application under the Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT). In order to use the new E-Patent Reference feature applicants must: (1) obtain a digital certificate and software from the Office; (2) obtain a customer number from the Office; and (3) properly associate patent applications with the customer number. Alternatively, copies of all U.S. patents and patent application publications can be accessed without a digital certificate from the USPTO web site, from the USPTO Office of Public Records, and from commercial sources. The Office will continue the practice of supplying paper copies of foreign patent documents and non-patent literature with Office actions. Paper copies of cited references will continue to be provided by the USPTO for international applications during the international stage.

Schedule

June 2004	TCs 1600, 1700, 2800 and 2900
July 2004	TCs 3600 and 3700
August 2004	TCs 2100 and 2600

All U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications are available on the USPTO web site. However, a simple system for downloading the cited U.S. patents and patent application publications has been established for applicants, called the E-Patent Reference system. As E-Patent Reference and Private PAIR require participating applicants to have a customer number, retrieval software and a digital certificate, all applicants are strongly encouraged to contact the Patent Electronic Business Center to acquire these items. To be ready to use this system by June 1, 2004, contact the Patent EBC as soon as possible by phone at 866-217-9197 (toll-free), 703-305-3028 or 703-308-6845 or electronically via the Internet at ebc@uspto.gov.

Other Options

The E-Patent Reference function requires the applicant to use the secure Private PAIR system, which establishes confidential communications with the applicant. Applicants using this facility must receive a digital certificate, as described above. Other options for obtaining patents which do not require the digital certificate include the USPTO's free Patents on the Web program (<http://www.uspto.gov/patft/index.html>). The USPTO's Office of Public Records also supplies copies of patents for a fee (<http://ebiz1.uspto.gov/oems25p/index.html>). Commercial sources also provide U.S. patents and patent application publications.

For complete instructions see the Official Gazette Notice, USPTO TO PROVIDE ELECTRONIC ACCESS TO CITED U.S. PATENT REFERENCES WITH OFFICE ACTIONS AND CEASE SUPPLYING PAPER COPIES, on the USPTO web site.

BEST AVAILABLE COPY.

Form (Rev. 2/01)

UNITED STATES

Docket No.: 1793,1005

COMBINED DECLARATION/POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY/DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION

Full name of third inventor Sun-mook Park

Inventor's Signature Sun-mook Park

Date 1 December 2003

Residence 210-1403 Wancheon Jungsang 2-dong Apt. 548
Woncheon-dong, Paldal-gu, Suwon-si, Gyeonggi-do, Republic of
Korea

Citizenship Republic of Korea

Mailing Address Same as residence

Full name of fourth inventor

Inventor's Signature

Date

Residence

Citizenship

Mailing Address

Full name of fifth inventor

Inventor's Signature

Date

Residence

Citizenship

Mailing Address

Full name of sixth inventor

Inventor's Signature

Date

Residence

Citizenship

Mailing Address

Full name of seventh inventor

Inventor's Signature

Date

Residence

Citizenship

Mailing Address

Full name of eighth inventor

Inventor's Signature

Date

Residence

Citizenship

Mailing Address

Full name of ninth inventor

Inventor's Signature

Date

Residence

Citizenship

Mailing Address